## NOTICE OF CORRECTION – BIOBEHAVIORAL PAIN RESEARCH (PA-03-152)

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National Institute on Aging (NIA)

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## PURPOSE OF THIS NOTICE

This notice is intended to correct and clarify the instructions for page limitations and appendix information for R21 applications. Applications for an R01 application must conform to the standard PHS 398 instructions.

The section entitled "SUBMITTING AN APPLICATION/SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS" should read as follows:

**SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS:** All instructions for the PHS 398 (rev. 5/2001) must be followed, with these exceptions for R21 applications:

o Research Plan

Items a - d of the Research Plan (Specific Aims, Background and Significance, Preliminary Studies, and Research Design and Methods) may not exceed a total of 15 pages. No preliminary data is required but may be included if it is available. Please note that a Progress Report is not needed; competing continuation applications for an exploratory/developmental grant will not be accepted.

Appendix. Use the instructions for the appendix detailed in the PHS 398 except that no more than 5 manuscripts, previously accepted for publication, may be included.

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